

Department for Work and Pensions

Ministerial overseas travel

Period: 1 April to June 2013

Secretary of State for Work and Pensions

The Rt Hon Iain Duncan Smith MP

Date(s) of trip	Destination	Purpose of trip	'No 32 (The Royal Squadron' or 'other RAF' or 'Charter' or 'Eurostar'	Number of officials accompanying Minister, where non-scheduled travel is used	Total cost including travel, and accommodation of Minister only
14/15 May	Berlin, Germany	Meet with Counterparts	N/A		£260
19/20 June	Luxembourg	Attend EPSCO Dinner	N/A		£276

Minister of State (Minister for Employment)

Mark Hoban MP

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5-6 June	Holland	Visiting Skills Centres			£182

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19-20 June	Madrid & Luxembourg	Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs Council			£366

**Minister of State (Minister for Pensions)
Steve Webb MP**

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22 April	Monteux	Speech at the European Pensions & Investment Summit			£385
16 May	Dublin	Speech at Irish Association of Pension Funds Conference			£180

**Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State (Minister for Disabled People)
Esther McVey MP**

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**Parliamentary Under Secretary of State (Minister for Welfare Reform)
Lord Freud**

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